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## PART IV-A

**Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made by the Government of Gujarat under the Central Acts**

### FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

#### ORDER

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2022

#### ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES ACT, 1955.

**No. GTH/2022/11/ECA/102022/166/B :** In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955) read with the Order of the Government of India, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, (Department of Food and Public Distribution) No. S.O. 1509 (E) dated the 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 the Government of Gujarat hereby makes the following order further to amend the Gujarat Edible Oils and Oilseeds (Storage Control) Order, 2022, namely:-

#### 1. Short title, extent and commencement-

- (1) This order may be called the Gujarat Edible Oils and Oilseeds (Storage Control) (Amendment) Order, 2022.
- (2) It extends to the whole of the State of Gujarat.
- (3) It shall come into force at once.

#### 2. In the Gujarat Edible Oils and Oilseeds (Storage Control) Order, 2022;

For clause 3, the following clause shall be substituted, namely :-

#### “3. Restriction on possessing of Edible Oilseeds and Edible Oils.

No Dealer or Retailer or Wholesaler or Bulk Consumer or as the case may be the Processor, whether by himself or by any person on his behalf, shall store or have in his possession at any time any edible oilseeds or edible oils in excess of the quantities specified below. This stock limit shall be in force for a period up to 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2022.

Table

Sr. No.	Name of Essential Commodity	Retail	Wholesale	Bulk consumers (Big chain retailers shops)		Processor	Remarks
				Retail outlets	Depot		
1	Edible Oil	30 Quintals	500 Quintals	30 Quintals	1000 Quintals	90 days of storage/ production capacity.	All Edible Oils taken together.
2	Edible Oilseeds	100 Quintals	2000 Quintals	--		90 days production of edible oils, as per daily input production capacity.	All Edible Oilseeds taken together.

The following exceptions shall also apply:-

- (1) An exporter, being a refiner, miller, extractor, wholesaler or retailer or dealer, having Importer-Exporter Code Number issued by the Director General of Foreign Trade, if such exporter is able to demonstrate that the whole or part of his stock in respect of edible oils and edible oilseeds are meant for exports, to the extent of the stock meant for export.
- (2) An importer, being a refiner, miller, extractor, wholesaler or retailer or dealer, if such importer is able to demonstrate that part of his stock in respect of edible oils and edible oilseeds are sourced from imports.”

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

(Sd/-) Illegible,

Additional Secretary to Government.

FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

ORDER

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2022

**No. GTH/2022/12/ECA/102022/166/B :** The following order issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution dated 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2022, No: S.O. 1509 (E) is republished for general information of public.

MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

(Department of Consumer Affairs)

ORDER

New Delhi, the 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2022

**S.O. 1509 (E).**— In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following order further to amend the Removal of Licensing Requirements, Stock Limits and Movement Restrictions on Specified Foodstuffs Order 2016, namely :-

**1. Short Title and Commencement**

- 1) This order may be called the Removal of Licensing Requirements, Stock Limits and Movement Restrictions on Specified Foodstuffs (Amendment) Order, 2022.
- 2) It shall come into force with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2022.

**2. In the Removal of Licensing Requirements, Stock Limits and Movement Restrictions on Specified Foodstuffs Order, 2016, in clause 3, in sub-clause (2), item (iii) and para 3 of the Order dated 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2022 shall be replaced with the following :-**

“(iii) All Edible Oils and Oilseeds put together for a period up to 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2022 with following stock limit, for all States/Union Territories

Name of Essential Commodity	Retail	Wholesale	Bulk consumers (Big chain retailers shops)		Processor
			Retail outlets	Depot	
Edible Oil	30 Quintals	500 Quintals	30 Quintals	1000 Quintals	90 days of storage/Production capacity
Edible Oilseeds	100 Quintals	2000 Quintals	--		90 days production of edible oils, as per daily input production capacity

Further, the following exceptions shall apply:-

- (a) an exporter, being a refiner, miller, extractor, wholesaler or retailer or dealer, having Importer-Exporter Code Number issued by the Director General of Foreign Trade, if such exporter is able to demonstrate that the whole or part of his stock in respect of edible oils and edible oilseeds are meant for exports, to the extent of the stock meant for export.
- (b) an importer, being a refiner, miller, extractor, wholesaler or retailer or dealer, if such importer is able to demonstrate that part of his stock in respect of edible oils and edible oilseeds are sourced from imports.”

- “3. In case, the stocks held by respective legal entities are higher than the prescribed limits then they shall declare the same on the portal (<https://evegoils.nic.in/eosp/login>) of Department of Food & Public Distribution and bring it to the prescribed stock limits in this Control Order within 30 days of the issue of this notification.”
4. It shall be ensured that Edible Oils and Edible Oilseeds stock is regularly declared and updated on the portal of this Department i.e. Department of Food & Public Distribution (<https://evegoils.nic.in/eosp/login>).
5. The Order S.O. 4146 (E) dated 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 stands supersede with effect from the date of issue of this order.

[F. No. 06/02/2017-Oils]

PARTHA S. DAS, Jt. Secy

**Note :** The principal order was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section (i), vide number G.S.R. 929(E), dated the 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2016 and was subsequently amended vide numbers S.O. 3341(E), dated the 27<sup>th</sup> October, 2016, S.O. 1288(E), dated the 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2017, S.O. 1600(E), dated the 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2017, S.O. 2785(E) dated the 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2017, S.O. 3136(E), dated the 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2017, S.O. 3397(E), dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2017, S.O. 3422(E), dated the 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2017, S.O. 4079(E), dated the 27<sup>th</sup> December, 2017 and S.O. 2414(E) dated the 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2018, S.O. 2826(E), dated the 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2019, S.O. 3540(E), dated the 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2019, S.O. 4298(E), dated the 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2019, S.O. 4341(E), dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2019, S.O. 4417(E), dated the 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2019, S.O. 4471(E), dated the 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2019, S.O. 901(E), dated the 27<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 and S.O. 3776(E), dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2020, S.O.2674(E) dated 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021 & S.O. 2871(E) dated 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021, S.O.4146(E) dated 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2021, S.O 5369(E) dated 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2021, S.O 5370 (E) dated 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2021 , S.O. 452 (E) dated 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2022.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

(Sd/-) Illegible,

Additional Secretary to Government.

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